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**THE FOUNDATION FOR THE
LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

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FINANCIAL SECTION

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Directors
The Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center
New Orleans, Louisiana

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Financial Position of the Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center (the "Foundation") (a nonprofit organization) as of June 30, 2008, and the related Statements of Activities, Functional Expenses, and Cash Flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. The prior year summarized comparative financial information has been derived from the Foundation's 2007 financial statements and, in our report dated August 17, 2007, we expressed an unqualified opinion on those financial statements.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and the significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Foundation as of June 30, 2008, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated August 21, 2008, on our consideration of the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements of the Foundation taken as a whole. The other supplemental information on pages 17 through 33 is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the State of Louisiana. This supplemental information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Rebowe & Company

August 21, 2008

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
June 30, 2008
(with comparative totals for 2007)

ASSETS	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 535,064	\$ 1,431,982
Investments	8,325,385	5,916,186
Interest receivable	165,468	160,776
Unconditional promises to give, net	84,600	315,608
Note receivable, net	-	314,197
Cash restricted for debt service	98,505	101,855
Other receivables	2,449,034	3,607,639
Total current assets	<u>11,658,056</u>	<u>11,848,243</u>
Noncurrent Assets		
Investments	87,467,059	85,607,086
Unconditional promises to give, net	181,504	796,329
Property and equipment, net	1,073,873	1,073,873
Land	315,467	315,467
Total noncurrent assets	<u>89,037,903</u>	<u>87,792,755</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 100,695,959</u>	<u>\$ 99,640,998</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 470,077	\$ 1,405,947
Bonds payable	80,000	75,000
Split-interest agreement	1,650	1,650
Total current liabilities	<u>551,727</u>	<u>1,482,597</u>
Noncurrent Liabilities		
Amounts held in custody for others	20,290,402	18,026,584
Bonds payable, net	1,644,546	1,722,954
Split-interest agreement	57,232	11,288
Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>21,992,180</u>	<u>19,760,826</u>
Total liabilities	<u>22,543,907</u>	<u>21,243,423</u>
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	1,506,625	1,701,604
Temporarily restricted	22,533,627	20,421,764
Permanently restricted	54,111,800	56,274,207
Total net assets	<u>78,152,052</u>	<u>78,397,575</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 100,695,959</u>	<u>\$ 99,640,998</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008
(with comparative totals for 2007)

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted revenues and other support		
Contributions	\$ 15,165	\$ 39,163
Investment income (loss) – net	(218,975)	1,900,360
Other income	<u>169,280</u>	<u>6,883</u>
	(34,530)	1,946,406
Net assets released from restrictions	<u>6,891,237</u>	<u>7,046,481</u>
Total unrestricted revenues and other support	<u>6,856,707</u>	<u>8,992,887</u>
Expenses		
Program services	5,989,590	6,252,137
General and administrative	786,469	1,093,189
Development	<u>275,627</u>	<u>371,688</u>
Total expenses	<u>7,051,686</u>	<u>7,717,014</u>
Increase (decrease) in unrestricted net assets	<u>(194,979)</u>	<u>1,275,873</u>
TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS		
Temporarily restricted revenues and other support		
Contributions	4,461,329	5,808,160
Investment income – net	4,550,748	4,394,313
Other expense	<u>(8,977)</u>	<u>(704)</u>
	9,003,100	10,201,769
Net assets released from restrictions	<u>(6,891,237)</u>	<u>(7,046,481)</u>
Increase in temporarily restricted net assets	<u>2,111,863</u>	<u>3,155,288</u>
PERMANENTLY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS		
Permanently restricted revenues and other support		
Contributions	1,785,571	4,011,002
Investment income (loss) – net	(3,124,160)	4,947,104
Other income	<u>(823,818)</u>	<u>(247,273)</u>
Increase (decrease) in permanently restricted net assets	<u>(2,162,407)</u>	<u>8,710,833</u>
Increase (decrease) in net assets	<u>(245,523)</u>	<u>13,141,994</u>
Net assets at beginning of year	<u>78,397,575</u>	<u>65,255,581</u>
Net assets at end of year	<u>\$ 78,152,052</u>	<u>\$ 78,397,575</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008
(with comparative totals for 2007)

	Program Services - Scientific, Research and Educational Enhancement of The LSU Health Sciences Center	Supporting Services		Totals	
		General and Administrative	Development	2008	2007
Advertising	\$ 23,683	\$ 89,749	\$ -	\$ 113,432	\$ 137,078
Clinical trials, professional education and seminars	110,845	597	-	111,442	84,669
Community support	133,883	43,912	-	177,795	317,083
Conferences, meetings, and other travel	698,152	15,135	-	713,287	661,776
Depreciation and amortization	-	1,591	-	1,591	10,274
Dues and subscriptions	160,393	12,982	-	173,375	132,720
Equipment purchases	(3,295)	23,768	-	20,473	1,481,438
Fundraising expenses	954	-	-	954	26,833
Honoraria	36,617	-	-	36,617	37,133
Interest expense	-	64,211	-	64,211	75,794
Meeting expenses	11,348	6,747	-	18,095	76,877
Miscellaneous	10,565	19,248	-	29,813	251,894
Occupancy	116,241	7,089	-	123,330	172,089
Other	1,089	3,487	-	4,576	2,581
Postage and shipping	14,976	2,593	-	17,569	39,703
Printing and publications	43,649	15,672	-	59,321	89,668
Professional fees and contract service payments	2,119,420	115,068	-	2,234,488	1,579,585
Promotional expenses and official functions	836,668	-	39,611	876,279	900,608
Repairs and maintenance	4,771	-	-	4,771	4,402
Salaries and benefits	752,730	333,003	236,016	1,321,749	1,147,733
Scholarships	197,727	10,189	-	207,916	225,140
Supplies	719,174	21,428	-	740,602	261,936
	<u>\$ 5,989,590</u>	<u>\$ 786,469</u>	<u>\$ 275,627</u>	<u>\$ 7,051,686</u>	<u>\$ 7,717,014</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008
(with comparative totals for 2007)

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Cash Flows From Operating Activities		
Change in net assets	\$ (245,523)	\$ 13,141,994
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and amortization	1,591	10,274
Provision for uncollectible promises to give and contribution receivable	948,037	862,270
Net change in discount on unconditional promises to give	(102,204)	(62,814)
Realized and unrealized gains on investments	4,487,075	(4,182,192)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Increase in interest receivable	(4,692)	(25,213)
(Increase) decrease in other receivables	1,158,605	(2,467,015)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and accrued expenses	(935,870)	784,301
Increase (decrease) in split-interest agreement	45,944	(121)
Increase in funds held in custody	2,263,818	1,287,273
Decrease in deposits	-	3,838
Interest, dividends, and gains and losses restricted for reinvestment	3,124,160	(4,947,104)
Contributions permanently restricted by donors	(961,753)	(3,013,922)
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>9,779,188</u>	<u>1,391,569</u>
Cash Flows From Investing Activities		
Purchase of investments	(47,597,174)	(34,971,582)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	38,840,927	25,795,171
Payments received on capital lease	314,197	-
Change in cash restricted for debt service	3,351	(1,459)
Proceeds from sale of property	-	200,180
Net cash used in investing activities	<u>(8,438,699)</u>	<u>(8,977,690)</u>
Cash Flows From Financing Activities		
Payments on bonds payable	(75,000)	(75,000)
Interest, dividends, and gains and losses restricted for reinvestment	(3,124,160)	4,947,104
Contributions permanently restricted by donors	961,753	3,013,922
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	<u>(2,237,407)</u>	<u>7,886,026</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(896,918)	299,905
Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Beginning of year	<u>1,431,982</u>	<u>1,132,077</u>
End of year	<u>\$ 535,064</u>	<u>\$ 1,431,982</u>
Supplemental data:		
Cash paid for interest	<u>\$ 64,211</u>	<u>\$ 75,794</u>

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 1 - NATURE OF ACTIVITIES

The Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center (the "Foundation") supports the activities of the LSU Health Sciences Center. The Foundation's activities and purpose include scientific research, educational, solicitation and management of funds, including endowments, and other functions for the benefit of the LSU Health Sciences Center. The Foundation is supported primarily through donor contributions.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Organization and Income Taxes

The Foundation is a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana. It is exempt from Federal income tax by Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and qualifies as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in Section 509(a) of the Code. It is exempt from Louisiana income tax under the authority of R.S. 47:121(5).

b) Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Foundation are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

c) Reporting Entity

Using the criteria established in GASB Statement No. 14, *The Financial Reporting Entity*, as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, *Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units*, the Foundation is reported as a discretely presented component unit of the LSU Health Sciences Center since it is legally separate from and is financially accountable to the LSU Health Sciences Center.

Annually, the State of Louisiana issues a comprehensive financial report, which includes the activity contained in the accompanying financial statements. The Louisiana Legislative Auditor audits the basic financial statements of the State of Louisiana.

d) Basis of Presentation

Financial statement presentation follows the reporting requirements of the Statement of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 117 "Financial Statements for Not-For-Profit Organizations." Under SFAS No. 117, net assets, revenues, and expenses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Foundation and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Unrestricted Net Assets - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets - Net assets that are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that will be met either by actions of the Foundation and/or the passage of time.

Permanently Restricted Net Assets - Net assets that are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that the principal not be expended, but rather invested to provide a permanent source of income for the Foundation's programs.

e) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

f) Cash and Cash Equivalents

For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, the Foundation consider all highly liquid investments in money market funds and investments available for current use with an initial maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

g) Investments

Investments are carried at estimated current market value.

Investments that are externally restricted to make debt service payments, maintain sinking or reserve funds, or to purchase or construct capital or other noncurrent assets, are classified as noncurrent assets in the Statement of Financial Position.

h) Noncurrent Liabilities

Noncurrent liabilities include principal amounts of bonds payable and other liabilities that, although payable within one year, are to be paid from funds that are classified as noncurrent assets.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

i) Contributions

Contributions are recorded as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted support, depending on the existence or nature of any donor restrictions. Support that is restricted by a donor is reported as an increase in temporarily or permanently restricted net assets, depending on the nature of the restrictions. When a restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or a purpose restriction is accomplished), temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

j) Unconditional Promises to Give

Contributions are recognized when a donor makes a promise to give to the Foundation that is, in substance, unconditional. The promises to give are recognized as assets and revenues, net of an allowance for uncollectible amounts. The allowance is based on historical experience and management's analysis of specific promises made. Management's estimate for the allowance of uncollectible promises to give at June 30, 2008 and 2007 was \$176,752 and \$687,232, respectively. A provision for uncollectible promises to give was not recorded for the year ended June 30, 2008 and 2007.

k) Property and Equipment

The Foundation capitalizes acquisitions of property, furniture, equipment, and accounting software purchased with unrestricted funds in excess of \$5,000. Costs of property, furniture, equipment, and accounting software purchased with unrestricted funds that are less than \$5,000 are charged to expense. The cost of these assets that is classified as program services expense is not capitalized by the Foundation as these assets are owned and used by departments of the LSU Health Sciences Center. Acquisitions of these assets with restricted private donations are also not capitalized by the Foundation as these assets belong to the State of Louisiana. Capitalized assets are carried at cost or, if donated, at the approximate fair value at the date of donation. As of June 30, 2008, all other furniture, equipment, and accounting software owned by the Foundation were purchased with restricted private donations and have not been capitalized. Accounting software is being depreciated over estimated useful lives of four to five years using a straight-line method. The buildings are being depreciated over an estimated useful life of forty years using the straight-line method.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

l) Expense Allocation

The costs of providing various programs and other activities are summarized on a functional basis in the financial statements. Accordingly, certain costs are allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited.

m) Required Transfers

The Foundation has received various matching grants from the State of Louisiana under the Eminent Scholars Endowed Chairs and Endowed Professorships programs which are only approved after certain levels of private funding have been raised. The Foundation must comply with certain policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the administration of these programs. One of the requirements of the Board of Regents for Higher Education's investment policy relates to increasing each program's endowment balance each year and some transfers to permanently restricted net assets were made to comply with this policy.

n) Comparative Financial Information

The financial statements include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total but not by net asset class. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the Foundation's financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2007, from which the summarized information was derived.

NOTE 3 - RESTRICTIONS ON ASSETS

Temporarily restricted net assets are restricted by donors for specific programs, purposes, or to assist specific departments of the LSU Health Sciences Center. The Foundation conducts numerous program services, including assistance with research, scientific endeavors, educational assistance through faculty salary supplemental compensation and student scholarships, equipment purchases for specific departments, etc. These restrictions are considered to expire when payments for restricted purposes are made. None of the temporarily restricted net assets are time-restricted by donors.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 4 - UNCONDITIONAL PROMISES TO GIVE

Unconditional promises to give consist of the following as of June 30, 2008 and 2007:

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Permanently restricted purposes	\$ 505,006	\$ 1,963,523
Less unamortized discount	(62,150)	(164,354)
Less allowance for uncollectible amounts	<u>(176,752)</u>	<u>(687,232)</u>
Net unconditional promises to give	<u>\$ 266,104</u>	<u>\$ 1,111,937</u>
Amount due in:		
Less than one year	\$ 84,600	\$ 602,736
One to five years	264,320	931,344
Over five years	<u>156,086</u>	<u>429,443</u>
Total	<u>\$ 505,006</u>	<u>\$ 1,963,523</u>

NOTE 5 - INVESTMENTS

As of June 30, 2008, investments consist of the following:

	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Unrealized Gain/(Loss)</u>
U.S. Government Agency mortgage-backed securities	\$ 4,314,234	\$ 4,100,997	\$ (213,237)
U.S. Government Agency bonds and notes	6,039,927	5,741,395	(298,532)
Corporate bonds and notes	5,177,080	4,921,196	(255,884)
Mutual funds and Other Equities	51,602,672	63,735,476	12,132,804
Hedge funds	8,842,490	9,697,925	855,435
Money Market/Certificate of Deposit	<u>7,595,455</u>	<u>7,595,455</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 83,571,858</u>	<u>\$ 95,792,444</u>	<u>\$ 12,220,586</u>

Investment return for the year ended June 30, 2008 is summarized as follows:

Interest and dividend income	\$ 5,694,688
Net gain	<u>(4,487,075)</u>
Total investment income	<u>\$ 1,207,613</u>

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 5 - INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

As of June 30, 2007, investments consist of the following:

	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Unrealized Gain (Loss)</u>
U.S. Government Agency mortgage-backed securities	\$ 4,090,098	\$ 3,775,665	\$ (314,433)
U.S. Government Agency bonds and notes	6,310,902	5,826,477	(484,425)
Corporate bonds and notes	3,401,482	3,134,715	(266,767)
Mutual funds	54,062,377	70,949,493	16,887,116
Hedge Funds	2,800,246	3,686,535	886,289
Money Market/Certificate of Deposit	4,150,387	4,150,387	-
Total	<u>\$ 74,815,492</u>	<u>\$ 91,523,272</u>	<u>\$ 16,707,780</u>

Investment return for the year end June 30, 2007 is summarized as follows:

Interest and dividend income	\$ 7,059,585
Net gains	<u>4,182,192</u>
Total investment gain	<u>\$ 11,241,777</u>

The Board of Directors has been advised by legal counsel that under Louisiana state law, the gains from sales of securities and increases in market value are treated as principal and must be retained in endowment fund accounts. However, under the Uniform Management of Institutional Funds Act adopted in Louisiana, such gains and appreciation in value may be expended for the purposes designated by the donors if it is prudent in the judgment of the Board of Directors after considering the long and short term needs of the LSU Health Sciences Center, its present and anticipated financial requirements, expected total return on investments, price level trends and general economic conditions.

If any donor stipulates that realized and unrealized investment gains should not be spent on the restricted purpose for which a fund was originated, then such gains are added to investment principal and are not expendable in the future. No such stipulations are present at June 30, 2008.

Investment income from interest, dividends and realized gains and losses are allocated to various activities and programs under the Foundation's investment policy. The portion that pertains to unrestricted and short term donor restricted activities is reported as unrestricted revenue, and the portion that pertains to permanent endowment activities is reported as temporarily restricted revenue, because it could be expended on the restricted purposes of the endowments in subsequent periods.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 5 - INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

The Foundation invests in a hedge fund. The investment is a sophisticated, multi-strategy, multi-manager program designed to achieve an optimal balance of upside return potential and downside protection. The investment offers a diversified strategy protecting and preserving the Foundation's capital and a hedged equity strategy providing long-term capital growth. Both strategies also work to deliver risk-adjusted returns by capturing the market's return potential but with much less volatility. The portfolios are constructed using a time tested, disciplined methodology focused first on risk management. The managers then work to identify strategies within a framework and to develop relationships with investment managers. The fund has a demonstrated track record of superior performance in maintaining a highly disciplined and effective investment allocation decision process. The end result is a portfolio with a demonstrated ability to protect capital from loss in adverse market conditions and to produce superior risk-adjusted returns. The derivative instrument is designated as a fair value hedging instrument. The fund's fair market value was \$9,697,925 and \$3,686,535 at June 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

The Foundation's objective is to maximize its returns related to this investment. The Foundation does not invest in individual hedge funds, but instead, monitors the activity and returns of the manager. The Foundation's investment committee continuously examines the returns of the manager to ensure the Foundation's investment objectives are reached.

The returns from this hedge fund are reported and posted quarterly reflecting the fair market value as of the reporting date. The earnings on the hedge fund are included in unrealized gains (losses) in the Statement of Activities.

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consist of the following:

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>
Accounting software	\$ 49,646	\$ 49,646
Internet development software	12,380	12,380
Buildings	1,123,342	1,123,342
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(111,495)</u>	<u>(111,495)</u>
Property and equipment, net	<u>\$1,073,873</u>	<u>\$1,073,873</u>
Land	<u>\$ 315,467</u>	<u>\$ 315,467</u>

Depreciation expense as of June 30, 2008 and 2007 was \$-0- and \$8,683, respectively.

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NOTE 6 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)

The building owned and operated by the Foundation located at 2000 Tulane Avenue was heavily damaged on by Hurricane Katrina and is currently unoccupied. The Foundation has not yet determined when or if it will restore and reoccupy the building.

NOTE 7 - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Foundation maintains its cash accounts in several financial institutions. Accounts are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and collateralized for greater amounts by agreement with some financial institutions.

NOTE 8 - FUNDS HELD IN CUSTODY

Under agreements with Louisiana State University Agricultural and Mechanical College (the "University"), the Foundation holds and manages funds received by the University as state matching funds for various accounts of the Eminent Scholars Endowed Chairs and the Endowed Professorship Programs. Funds held in custody were \$20,290,402 and \$18,026,584 on June 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

NOTE 9 - ADVERTISING

The Foundation advertises to promote its programs. The production costs of advertising are expensed as incurred. Advertising costs for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007 were \$113,432 and \$137,078, respectively.

NOTE 10 - BONDS PAYABLE

The Foundation financed the renovation of a building (2000 Tulane Avenue) purchased on May 15, 2003 with bond proceeds of \$2,035,000 over a 20-year period through the LPFA Capital Facilities Pool Program. The bond issue is supported by a bank letter of credit. The Foundation's ability to service this debt will be based on its ability to raise funds and earn other revenue from lease payments from the occupants. As discussed in Note 6, the building was heavily damaged by Hurricane Katrina on August 29, 2005. The roof has been replaced and the building has been gutted. It remains unoccupied and the Foundation has not yet determined when it will be renovated. The Foundation has budgeted future reductions in certain expenditures and

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NOTE 10 - BONDS PAYABLE (CONTINUED)

management believes it will be able to meet this obligation even with the loss of the rental income from the building.

The Foundation issued bonds in January 2002 totaling \$2,035,000 with a variable interest rate. The interest rate paid for 2008 and 2007 amounted to approximately 4.0% and 3.2%, respectively. The bond issuance costs were \$35,000 and are being amortized over the life of the bonds beginning July 1, 2002. Bond amortization expense for each of the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007 was \$1,591.

Unamortized bond issuance costs at June 30, 2008 and June 30, 2007 were \$25,454 and \$27,046, respectively. Bonds payable, net at June 30, 2008 and 2007 were \$1,724,546 and \$1,797,954, respectively.

The bond proceeds were used to finance the renovation of the new building. Bond proceeds available at June 30, 2008 are held by a trustee in restricted cash accounts. Restricted cash at June 30, 2008 and 2007 totaled \$98,505 and \$101,855, respectively. Principal payments of \$75,000 and \$75,000 were made on the bond in the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively. Interest was paid on the bonds in the amounts of \$64,211 and \$75,794 for the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively.

The future maturities of bonds payable are as follows:

Years ending June 30:	
2009	\$ 80,000
2010	80,000
2011	85,000
2012	90,000
2013	95,000
2014-2018	525,000
2019-2023	650,000
2024	<u>145,000</u>
Total	<u>\$1,750,000</u>

NOTE 11 - LINE OF CREDIT

The Foundation has a line of credit from a bank, totaling \$2,600,000, at an interest rate calculated by adding 1.5% to the LIBOR rate as published. The Company has taken no advances during the year and has no outstanding balance on the line of credit as of June 30, 2008.

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NOTE 12 - NOTE RECEIVABLE, NET

The Foundation purchased a building (1825 Tulane Avenue) for \$606,275 on September 4, 2002. On the same day, the Foundation entered into an agreement with the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center to lease this building for a term of 3 years ending on September 4, 2005 with a monthly payment of \$18,500. On September 25, 2003, the Foundation entered into a supplemental agreement with the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center to renegotiate the terms of the lease of this building for a term of 6 years and 2 months ending on August 5, 2009 with a monthly payment of \$7,597. The terms of the lease meet the criteria for a capital lease as defined by Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") Number 13. As a result, a note receivable was recorded in fiscal 2004 in the amount of \$747,175. Unearned interest income of \$140,900 was recorded and netted against the note receivable. The lease was suspended following Hurricane Katrina and no rental payments were made subsequent to Hurricane Katrina through June 30, 2008. During the year ended June 30, 2007, the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center purchased the parking lot for the net balance of the note, \$314,197.

NOTE 13 - RETIREMENT PLAN

Effective July 1, 2002, the Foundation established a Tax Deferred Annuity or 403(b) Plan. The Foundation's total contributions expense was \$11,632 and \$27,238 as of June 30, 2008 and 2007, respectively, which is included in salaries and benefits.

The Foundation contributes to the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center Foundation 403(b) Plan, which is intended to be an ERISA Section 404(c) participant-directed plan. Participants exercise control over the assets in their accounts, which is funded exclusively through the purchase of annuity contracts for The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company (VALIC). Employees are eligible to participate upon the date of employment. Under the Plan, the Foundation matches amounts contributed up to 6% of the employee's compensation only if the employee has completed a year of service and is at least 21 years of age.

NOTE 14 - SPLIT-INTEREST AGREEMENTS

The Foundation has entered into two (2) charitable gift annuity agreements. A charitable gift annuity provides for the payment of distributions to the grantor or designated beneficiaries over the trust's term. In consideration of the contribution, the Foundation shall pay an annual annuity of \$1,650 paid in quarterly installments to the donor so long as they are living. The Foundation's obligation will terminate upon the donor's death. The present value of the estimated future payments (\$12,938 at June 30, 2006) is calculated using a discount rate of 6.0% and the applicable mortality rates. The Foundation made payments to the donor in the amount of \$1,650 for each of the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007.

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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 535,064
Investments	8,325,385
Accounts receivable, net	2,449,034
Pledges receivable	84,600
Due from other campuses	-
Due from State Treasury	-
Due from Federal Government	-
Inventories	-
Deferred charges and prepaid expenses	-
Notes receivable	-
Other current assets	263,973
Total current assets	<u>11,658,056</u>

Noncurrent Assets

Restricted assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	-
Investments	-
Accounts receivable, net	-
Notes receivable	-
Other	-
Investments	87,467,059
Pledges receivable	181,504
Notes receivable	-
Capital assets, net	1,389,340
Assets under capital leases, net	-
Other noncurrent assets	25,454
Total noncurrent assets	<u>89,063,357</u>
Total assets	<u>100,721,413</u>

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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 470,077
Due to other campuses	-
Due to State Treasury	-
Due to Federal Government	-
Deferred revenues	-
Amounts held in custody for others	-
Compensated absences payable	-
Capital lease obligations	-
Claims and litigations	-
Notes payable	-
Contracts payable	-
Reimbursement Contracts payable	-
Bonds payable	80,000
Other current liabilities	1,650
Total current liabilities	<u>551,727</u>

Noncurrent Liabilities

Amounts held in custody for others	20,290,402
Compensated absences payable	-
Capital lease obligations	-
Claims and litigations	-
Notes payable	-
Contracts payable	-
Reimbursement Contracts payable	-
OPEB payable	-
Bonds payable	1,670,000
Other noncurrent liabilities	57,232
Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>22,017,634</u>
Total liabilities	<u>22,569,361</u>

NET ASSETS

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	(360,660)
Restricted for:	
Nonexpendable	54,111,800
Expendable	22,533,627
Unrestricted	1,867,285
Total Net Assets	<u>\$78,152,052</u>

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES
IN NET ASSETS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

OPERATING REVENUES

Student tuition and fees	\$ -
Less scholarship allowances	-
Net student tuition and fees	-
Gifts received by the foundations	4,476,494
Endowment Income	-
Federal appropriations	-
Federal grants and contracts	-
State and local grants and contracts	-
Nongovernmental grants and contracts	-
Sales and services of educational departments	-
Hospital income	-
Auxiliary enterprise revenues, including revenues pledged as security for bond issues	-
Less scholarship allowances	-
Net auxiliary revenues	-
Other operating revenues	169,280
Total operating revenues	4,645,774

OPERATING EXPENSES

Educational and general	
Instruction	-
Research	-
Public service	-
Academic support	-
Student services	-
Institutional support	-
Operation and maintenance of plant	-
Scholarships and fellowships	-
Auxiliary enterprises	-
Hospital	-
Other operating expenses	1,062,096
Total operating expenses	1,062,096
Operating income (loss)	\$ 3,583,678

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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES
IN NET ASSETS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

NONOPERATING REVENUES AND (EXPENSES)

State appropriations	\$ -
Gifts	-
Net investment income (loss)	4,331,773
Interest expense	-
Payments to or on behalf of the university	(5,989,590)
Other nonoperating revenues (expenses)	(8,977)
Net nonoperating revenues (expenses)	<u>(1,666,794)</u>
Income before other revenues, expenses,	
gains, and losses	<u>1,916,884</u>
 Capital appropriations	 -
Capital gifts and grants	-
Additions to permanent endowments	(2,162,407)
Other additions, net	-
Extraordinary item - loss on impairment of capital assets	-
Increase (decrease) in net assets	<u>(245,523)</u>
 Net assets at beginning of year	 78,397,575
 Net assets at end of year	 <u><u>\$ 78,152,052</u></u>

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Cash flows from operating activities	
Student tuition and fees	\$ -
Federal appropriations	-
Grants and contracts	-
Sales and services of educational departments	-
Hospital income	-
Auxiliary enterprise receipts	-
Payments for employee compensation	-
Payments for benefits	-
Payments for utilities	-
Payments for supplies and services	-
Payments for scholarships and fellowships	-
Loans to students	-
Collection of loans to students	-
Other receipts (disbursements)	9,779,188
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>9,779,188</u>
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities	
State appropriations	-
Gifts and grants for other than capital purposes	-
Private gifts for endowment purposes	961,753
TOPS receipts	-
TOPS disbursements	-
Federal Family Education Loan Program receipts	-
Federal Family Education Loan Program disbursements	-
Other receipts (disbursements)	(3,124,160)
Net cash used by noncapital financing sources	<u>(2,162,407)</u>
Cash flows from capital financing activities	
Proceeds from capital debt	314,197
Capital appropriations received	-
Capital grants and gifts received	-
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	-
Purchase of capital assets	-
Principal paid on capital debt and leases	(75,000)
Interest paid on capital debt and leases	-
Deposit with trustees	-
Other sources	-
Net cash provided by capital financing activities	<u>239,197</u>

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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Cash flows from investing activities	
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	\$ 38,840,927
Change in cash restricted for debt service	3,351
Purchase of investments	<u>(47,597,174)</u>
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	<u>(8,752,896)</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	<u>(896,918)</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the year	<u>1,431,982</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	<u><u>\$ 535,064</u></u>
Reconciliation of Net Operating Revenues (Expenses) to	
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	
Operating income	\$ (245,523)
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash	
provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation and amortization expense	1,591
Provision for uncollectible promises to give and	
contributions receivable	948,037
Net change in discount on unconditional promises to give	(102,204)
Realized and unrealized gains on investments	4,487,075
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
Decrease in interest receivable	(4,692)
(Increase) decrease in other receivables	1,158,605
(Increase) decrease in inventories	-
(Increase) decrease in deferred charges & prepaid expenses	-
(Increase) decrease in notes receivable	-
(Increase) decrease in other assets	-
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable & accrued expenses	(935,870)
Increase (decrease) in deferred revenues	-
Decrease in split-interest agreement	45,944
Increase (decrease) in amounts held in custody for others	2,263,818
Increase (decrease) in deposits	-
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences	-
Increase (decrease) in OPEB payable	-
Contributions permanently restricted by donors	2,162,407
Increase (decrease) in other liabilities	-
Net cash provided by operating activities:	<u><u>\$ 9,779,188</u></u>

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 535,064
Restricted cash	-
Investments	8,325,385
Accrued interest receivable	165,468
Accounts receivable, net	-
Unconditional promises to give, net	84,600
Inventories	-
Deferred charges and prepaid expenses	-
Notes receivable, net	-
Cash restricted for debt service	98,505
Other current assets	2,449,034
Total current assets	<u>11,658,056</u>

Noncurrent Assets

Restricted assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	-
Investments	-
Accounts receivable, net	-
Notes receivable, net	-
Investments	87,467,059
Unconditional promises to give	181,504
Notes receivable, net	-
Property and equipment, net	1,389,340
Other noncurrent assets	25,454
Total noncurrent assets	<u>89,063,357</u>

Total assets	<u>\$100,721,413</u>
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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 470,077
Deferred revenues	-
Amounts held in custody for others	-
Compensated absences payable	-
Capital lease obligations	-
Current portion of notes payable	-
Current portion of bonds payable	80,000
Other current liabilities	1,650
Total current liabilities	<u>551,727</u>

Noncurrent Liabilities

Amounts held in custody for others	20,290,402
Compensated absences payable	-
Capital lease obligations, net of current portion	-
Notes payable, net of current portion	-
Bonds payable, net of current portion	1,670,000
Other noncurrent liabilities	57,232
Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>22,017,634</u>
Total liabilities	<u>22,569,361</u>

NET ASSETS

Unrestricted	1,506,625
Temporarily restricted	22,533,627
Permanently restricted	54,111,800
Total Net Assets	<u>78,152,052</u>

Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$100,721,413</u>
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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Changes in unrestricted net assets:

Contributions	\$ 15,165
Investment earnings	(218,975)
Service fees	-
Grants and contracts	-
Other revenues	169,280
Total unrestricted revenues	<u>(34,530)</u>
Net assets released from restrictions:	
Satisfaction of program expenses	6,891,237
Total unrestricted revenues and other support	<u>6,856,707</u>

Expenses:

Amounts paid to benefit Louisiana State University for:	
Projects specified by donors	5,989,590
Projects specified by the Board of Directors	-
Other:	
Grants and contracts	-
Property Operations	-
Other	-
Total program expenses	<u>5,989,590</u>

Supporting services:

Salaries and benefits	569,019
Occupancy	7,089
Office operations	63,461
Travel	15,135
Professional services	115,068
Dues and subscriptions	12,982
Meetings and development	46,358
Depreciation and amortization	1,591
Provision for uncollectible accounts	-
Loss on sale of assets	-
Other	231,393
Total supporting services	<u>1,062,096</u>

Total expenses	<u>7,051,686</u>
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Increase/(decrease) in unrestricted net assets	<u>\$ (194,979)</u>
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THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Changes in temporarily restricted net assets:	
Contributions	\$ 4,461,329
Investment earnings	4,550,748
Other	(8,977)
Total temporarily restricted revenues	<u>9,003,100</u>
Net assets released from restrictions:	
Satisfaction of program expenses	(6,891,237)
Total net assets released from restrictions	<u>(6,891,237)</u>
 Increase/(decrease) in temporarily restricted net assets	 <u><u>\$ 2,111,863</u></u>
 Changes in permanently restricted net assets:	
Contributions	\$ 1,785,571
Investment earnings	(3,124,160)
Other	(823,818)
Total permanently restricted revenues	<u>(2,162,407)</u>
Net assets released from restrictions	
Transfer of Endowment and write off of uncollectible promises to give	-
Total net assets released from restrictions	<u>-</u>
 Increase/(decrease) in permanently restricted net assets	 <u><u>\$ (2,162,407)</u></u>
 Increase/(decrease) in net assets	 \$ (245,523)
Net assets at beginning of year	78,397,575
Net assets at end of year	<u><u>\$ 78,152,052</u></u>

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

	Balance 6/30/2007	Prior Period Adjustment	Restated Balance 6/30/2007	Additions	Transfers	Retirements	Balance 6/30/2008
Capital assets not being depreciated							
Land	\$ 315,467	\$ -	\$ 315,467	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 315,467
Non-depreciable land improvements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Capitalized collections	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Livestock	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Construction in progress	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>\$ 315,467</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 315,467</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 315,467</u>
Other capital assets							
Infrastructure	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Less accumulated depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total infrastructure	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Depreciable land improvements							
Less accumulated depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total land improvements	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Buildings							
Less accumulated depreciation	1,123,342	-	1,123,342	-	-	-	1,123,342
	(49,469)	-	(49,469)	-	-	-	(49,469)
Total buildings	<u>1,073,873</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,073,873</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,073,873</u>
Equipment							
Less accumulated depreciation	62,026	-	62,026	-	-	-	62,026
	(62,026)	-	(62,026)	-	-	-	(62,026)
Total equipment	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Library books							
Less accumulated depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total library books	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total other capital assets	<u>\$ 1,073,873</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,073,873</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,073,873</u>
Capital Asset Summary:							
Capital assets not being depreciated	\$ 315,467	\$ -	\$ 315,467	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 315,467
Other capital assets, at cost	1,185,368	-	1,185,368	-	-	-	1,185,368
Total cost of capital assets	<u>1,500,835</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,500,835</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,500,835</u>
Less accumulated depreciation	(111,495)	-	(111,495)	-	-	-	(111,495)
Capital assets, net	<u>\$ 1,389,340</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,389,340</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,389,340</u>

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
SCHEDULE OF BONDS PAYABLE
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Issue	Date of Issue	Original Issue	Principal Outstanding 6/30/07	(Redeemed) Issued	Principal Outstanding 6/30/08	Interest Rates	Interest Outstanding 6/30/08
Equipment & Capital Facilities Pooled Loan Program Revenue Bonds, Series 2002A	01/01/02	\$ 2,035,000	\$ 1,825,000	\$ (75,000)	\$ 1,750,000	4.00%	\$

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
SCHEDULE OF BONDS PAYABLE AMORTIZATION
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

<u>Fiscal Year Ending</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2009	\$ 80,000	Variable	\$ 80,000
2010	80,000	Variable	80,000
2011	85,000	Variable	85,000
2012	90,000	Variable	90,000
2013	95,000	Variable	95,000
2014	95,000	Variable	95,000
2015	100,000	Variable	100,000
2016	105,000	Variable	105,000
2017	110,000	Variable	110,000
2018	115,000	Variable	115,000
2019	120,000	Variable	120,000
2020	125,000	Variable	125,000
2021	130,000	Variable	130,000
2022	135,000	Variable	135,000
2023	140,000	Variable	140,000
2024	145,000	Variable	145,000
2025	-	-	-
2026	-	-	-
2027	-	-	-
2028	-	-	-
2029	-	-	-
2030	-	-	-
2031	-	-	-
2032	-	-	-
2033	-	-	-
2034	-	-	-
2035	-	-	-
2036	-	-	-
2037	-	-	-
2038	-	-	-
TOTAL	<u><u>\$ 1,750,000</u></u>		<u><u>\$ 1,750,000</u></u>

List the terms by which interest rate changes for variable-rate debt:

Default interest rate is Prime Rate plus 2%

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Note A. 15 Component Units

1. A brief description of the component unit.

The Foundation for LSU Health Sciences Center is a legally separate, tax-exempt organization supporting the LSU System, specifically the following campus: LSU Health Sciences Center. This foundation was included in the university's financial statements because its assets equaled 3% or more of the assets of the university system it supports.

During the year ended June 30, 2008, the Foundation for LSU Health Sciences Center made distributions to or on behalf of the university for both restricted and unrestricted purposes in the amount of : \$5,989,590

Complete financial statements for the Foundation for LSU Health Sciences Center can be obtained from:

450A S. Claiborne Ave., New Orleans, LA 70112
(mailing address)

or from the foundation's website at: www.foundation.lsubsc.edu

The Foundation for LSU Health Sciences Center is a nonprofit organization that reports under FASB standards, including FASB Statement No. 117, *Financial Reporting for Not-for-Profit Organizations*. As such, certain revenue recognition criteria and presentation features are different from GASB revenue recognition criteria and presentation features. With the exception of necessary presentation adjustments, no modifications have been made to the foundation's financial information in the university's financial report for these differences.

**THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008**

System Note 26. Amounts Held in Custody for Others

Entity

State matching funds managed for
LSUHSC in New Orleans

\$20,290,402

Total Temporarily Restricted

\$20,290,402

**THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA (CONTINUED)**

For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

Note 1. Bonds & notes payable & capital leases.

	Balance June 30, 2007	Additions	Reductions	Balance at June 30, 2008	Amounts due within one year
Notes & bonds payable:					
Notes payable	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Bonds payable	-	-	-	-	-
Total bonds and notes payable	1,825,000		(75,000)	1,750,000	80,000
	1,825,000		(75,000)	1,750,000	80,000
Other liabilities:					
Compensated absences payable	-	-	-	-	-
Capital lease obligations	-	-	-	-	-
Claims and litigation payable	-	-	-	-	-
Amounts held in custody for others	18,026,584	2,263,818	-	20,290,402	-
Contracts payable	-	-	-	-	-
Reimbursement contracts payable	-	-	-	-	-
OPEB Payable	-	-	-	-	-
Total other liabilities	18,026,584	2,263,818	-	20,290,402	-
Total long-term liabilities	\$ 19,851,584	\$ 2,263,818	\$ (75,000)	\$ 22,040,402	\$ 80,000

THE FOUNDATION FOR THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
NOTES TO OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
REQUIRED BY THE STATE OF LOUISIANA (CONTINUED)
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008

System Note 17. Restricted Net Assets - Component Units

	LSU Foundation	Tiger Athletic Foundation	UNO R & T Foundation	Pennington Medical Foundation	HSC N.O. Foundation
Temporarily restricted:					
Chairs and professorships					\$ 9,847,750
Scholarships and fellowships					
Specific academic and research projects					
Academic support					
Capital outlay and improvements					
Research support					
Institutional support					12,685,877
Faculty - salary supplements					
Donor restrictions					
Restricted contributions receivable					
Restricted accounts payable					
Building funds					
Educational studies program					
Total temporarily restricted	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 22,533,627
Permanently restricted:					
Chairs and professorships					\$ 32,422,552
Scholarships and fellowships					
Specific academic and research projects					
Academic support					
Capital outlay and improvements					
Research support					
Institutional support					
Endowment Funds					21,689,248
Educational studies program					
Faculty - salary supplements					
Total permanently restricted	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 54,111,800

REPORTS REQUIRED BY *GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS*

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH *GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS*

Board of Directors
The Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center
New Orleans, Louisiana

We have audited the financial statements of The Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center (the "Foundation") (a nonprofit organization) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008, and have issued our report thereon dated August 17, 2008. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the Foundation's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the Foundation's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the Foundation's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the Foundation's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Foundation's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Finance Committee, management of the Foundation, the Board of Directors, and the Legislative Auditor of the State of Louisiana and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. Under Louisiana Revised Statute 24:513, this report is distributed by the Legislative Auditor as a public document.

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August 21, 2008

**THE FOUNDATION FOR
THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008**

A - Summary of Auditor's Results

1. The auditor's report expresses an unqualified opinion on the financial statements of the Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center.
2. No significant deficiencies relating to the audit of the financial statements are reported in the *Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards*.
3. No instances of noncompliance material to the financial statements of the Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center, which would be required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, were disclosed during the audit.
4. A Management Letter was not issued for the year ended June 30, 2008.

B - Findings - Financial Statement Audit

There were no findings related to financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2008.

**THE FOUNDATION FOR
THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008**

FINDINGS - FINANCIAL STATEMENT AUDIT

There were no prior year findings related to the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2007.

MANAGEMENT LETTER

A Management Letter was not issued for the year ended June 30, 2007.

**THE FOUNDATION FOR
THE LSU HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
MANAGEMENT'S CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN
For the Year Ended June 30, 2008**

There were no findings for the year ended June 30, 2008; therefore, a corrective action plan is not required.

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August 21, 2008

Executive Committee
Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center
New Orleans, Louisiana

We have audited the financial statements of the Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center (the "Foundation") for the year ended June 30, 2008 and have issued our report thereon dated August 21, 2008. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit.

Our Responsibility under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

Our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to express an opinion about whether the financial statements prepared by management with your oversight are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Our audit of the financial statements does not relieve you or management of your responsibilities.

Planned Scope and Timing of the Audit

We performed the audit according to the planned scope and timing previously communicated in our meeting with your management on June 26, 2008.

Significant Audit Findings

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter, we will advise management about the appropriateness of accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by the Foundation are described in Note 1 to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008. We noted no transactions entered into by the Foundation during the year for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus. There are no significant transactions that have been recognized in the financial statements in a different period than when the transaction occurred.

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and

current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected. There were no significant estimates affecting the financial statements.

The disclosures in the financial statements are neutral, consistent, and clear. Certain financial statement disclosures are particularly sensitive because of their significance to financial statement users. The most sensitive disclosures affecting the financial statements were in Note 5 to the financial statements concerning investments. Investments are the majority of the assets and financial transactions of the Foundation and therefore, the most sensitive in terms of disclosures. Investments are recorded at cost and reported at fair market value based on published quotations. Judgment is exercised allocating investment earnings, gains, losses, and expenses to the various individual funds.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing and completing our audit.

Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements

Professional standards require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are insignificant, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Management has corrected all such misstatements. In addition, none of the misstatements detected as a result of audit procedures and corrected by management were material, either individually or in the aggregate, to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Disagreements with Management

Professional standards define a disagreement with management as a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditor's report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

Management Representations

We have requested certain representations from management that are included in the management representation letter dated August 21, 2008.

Finance Committee
The Foundation for the LSU Health Sciences Center
August 21, 2008
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Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the Foundation's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditor's opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to verify with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Other Audit Findings or Issues

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the Foundation's auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

This information is intended solely for the use of the Board of Directors and management of the Foundation and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Sincerely,

Rebowe & Company

August 21, 2008